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## **DECLARATION**

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Attention: Licensing and Review

Dear Sir:

We, Jeremiah O. Salvatore, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 316 Calle de Andalucia, Redondo Beach, CA 92077, Stephen C. Jennings, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 120 The Village #401, Redondo Beach, CA 90277-2566, and Tuan Pham, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 1814 Stanford Avenue, Redondo Beach, CA 92078, hereby declare:

That we made and conceived the invention described and claimed in patent application Serial No.10/708,120, filed in the United States of America on February 10, 2004, entitled "Method of Operating a Satellite for End-Of-Life Maneuvers."

That we made and conceived this invention while employed by The Boeing Company. That the invention is related to the work we are employed to perform and was made within the scope of our employment duties;

That the invention was made during working hours and with the use of facilities, equipment, materials, funds, information and services of The Boeing Company.

That to the best of our knowledge and belief, the invention was not made (conceived or first actually reduced to practice) under nor is there any relationship of the invention to the performance of any work under any contract of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

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